

**REMARKS**

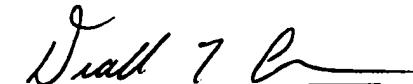
Claims 1-13 are all the claims pending in the application. Applicants thank the Examiner for indicating that claims 1-12 are allowed and all of the drawings are acceptable. Claim 13 is rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph, as allegedly being indefinite.

With respect to claim 13, Applicants amend this claim, as indicated herein, and Applicants believe that this amendment satisfies the requirements of 35 U.S.C. § 112, second paragraph.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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